Theft of Copper Wire Arrest

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Incident: Theft of Copper Wire Arrest

Contact: Watch Commander, 805-339-4416

<u>Location</u>: Telephone Rd. & Wells Rd. <u>Date/Time Occurred</u>: 11-08-14 / 0922 hrs

Officer(s) Involved: Patrol

Suspect(s): David Litada 31 yrs (Ventura Vagrant)

Report #: 14-14261

Narrative:

On the above listed date and time at the above location a concerned citizen called the Ventura Police Department Command Center to report a subject on the bike path to the rear of the Veterans center possibly stealing copper wire.

Officers arrived on scene within moments locating the David Litada in the process of stealing copper wire from the pylons, which light the walking path. Officers quickly took Litada into custody without incident. Litada damaged (7) pylons and pulled about 35 lbs. of copper wire from them.

No one was injured during this incident and Litada was booked into Ventura County Jail for Grand Theft and (3) felony warrants.

The investigation into this incident is ongoing. Anyone with information related to this incident is urged to call the Ventura Police Department at 339-4493